

Standards Committee
November 20, 2002
Future Planning

At the November 20, 2002 meeting the committee discussed the following questions:
Where would you like to be in 2003, 2004, 2005
What will it take to get there?

2003:

Further Development of the Standard Setting Process

- Infuse standards into work plans of staff – state and local
- Develop criteria for agencies to meet the standards.
- Joint meeting with finance committee
- Develop formalized and consistent communication about the standards
- Connect to resource consultants
- Encourage UW to incorporate standards into curriculum

Use the Baseline Data to identify priorities for system-wide improvements

- Baseline Reports will be reviewed by each site visited
- Standards committee to meet before priority setting process
- Develop a procedure to establish system wide improvement goals
- Distinguish between system improvements that need funding and those that can be done without funding
- Get the leadership on board i.e. legislature, local Boards of Health
- Understand characteristics of the system

Best Practices will be identified and available electronically

- Meetings/talent shows w/forums – highlight best practices and standards
- Connect best practices with joint conference. Have tracks that align with standards

Implement the Work plan for Administrative Issues

- Communicate with other committees about the Administrative issues
- Further Develop the issues matrix
- Field Test the Administrative Standards at DOH and LHJ's

2004

- Develop training module like core functions – to infuse the standards to the system
- Hold Trainings

2005

- Conduct assessment against the Standards including the Administrative Issues